

STATE OF MAINE
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

Docket No. 98-132

February 25, 1998

UNITEL, INC.
Application for Approval of
Short-Term Loan to Affiliated
Interest - Unity Cable

ORDER

On February 18, 1998, Unitel, Inc. ("Unitel") submitted an Application for Approval, pursuant to 35-A M.R.S.A. §707, for a loan by Unitel to Unity Cable, an affiliated interest of Unitel. The proposed loan is in the amount of \$60,000 for a term of 90 days at an interest rate of two percent over prime rate. Based on the information presented, we find that the proposed loan from Unitel to Unity Cable is not adverse to the public interest.

Accordingly, we

O R D E R

1. That the Application for Approval of a Short-Term Loan to Affiliated Interest submitted by Unitel on February 18, 1998 is approved.
2. That approval of this transaction shall not be deemed an approval of the costs or revenues related to this transaction for ratemaking purposes.

Dated at Augusta, Maine, this 25th day of February, 1998.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

Dennis L. Keschl
Administrative Director

COMMISSIONERS VOTING FOR: Welch
 Nugent
 Hunt

NOTICE OF RIGHTS TO REVIEW OR APPEAL

5 M.R.S.A. § 9061 requires the Public Utilities Commission to give each party to an adjudicatory proceeding written notice of the party's rights to review or appeal of its decision made at the conclusion of the adjudicatory proceeding. The methods of adjudicatory proceedings are as follows:

1. Reconsideration of the Commission's Order may be requested under Section 6(N) of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (65-407 C.M.R.11) within 20 days of the date of the Order by filing a petition with the Commission stating the grounds upon which consideration is sought.
2. Appeal of a final decision of the Commission may be taken to the Law Court by filing, within 30 days of the date of the Order, a Notice of Appeal with the Administrative Director of the Commission, pursuant to 35-A M.R.S.A. § 1320 (1)-(4) and the Maine Rules of Civil Procedure, Rule 73 et seq.
3. Additional court review of constitutional issues or issues involving the justness or reasonableness of rates may be had by the filing of an appeal with the Law Court, pursuant to 35-A M.R.S.A. § 1320 (5).

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